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| In re Application of | : | |
| Ronald L. Edens et al | : | |
| Application No. 10/038,970 | : | ON PETITION |
| Filed: December 31, 2001 | : | |
| Attorney Docket No. 17,707 | : | |

This is a decision on the petition under 37 CFR 1.137(b), filed August 2, 2005, to revive the above-identified application.

The petition is **GRANTED**.

The above-identified application became abandoned for failure to submit the issue fee/publication fee in a timely manner in reply to the Notice of Allowance mailed March 8, 2005, which set a statutory period for reply of three (3) months. Accordingly, the above-identified application became abandoned on June 9, 2005.

Telephone inquiries concerning this decision should be directed to Wan Laymon at (571) 272-3220.

This matter is being referred to Publishing Division.


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